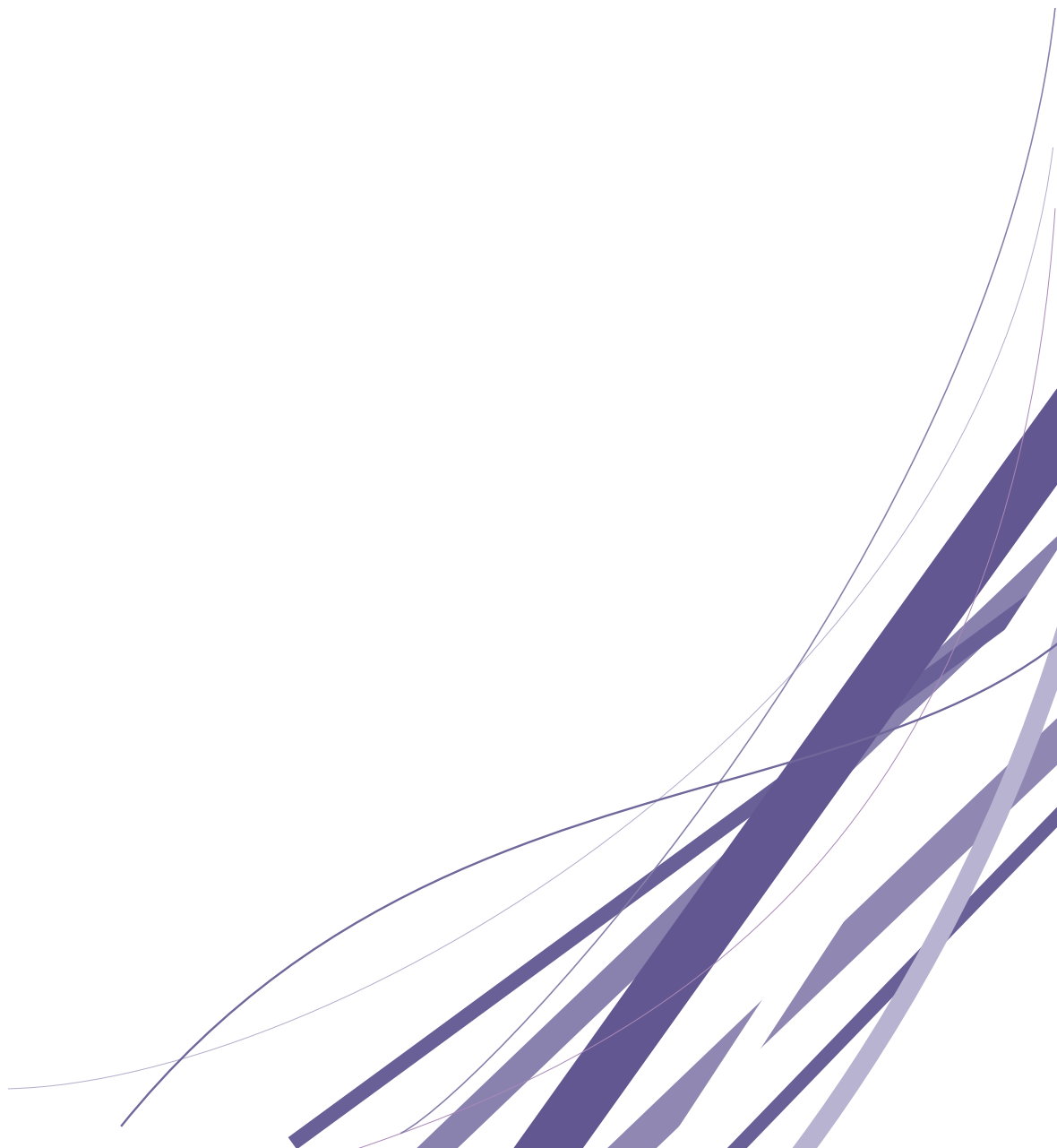


M₃ POS

User Manual

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Using this manual

Thank you for purchasing this M3 POS. This device will provide you with high quality data capture and mobile communication at industrial level of ruggedness.

This user manual has been specially designed to guide you through the basic functions and features of M3 POS series.

Read me first

- Please read all safety precautions and this manual carefully before using your device to ensure safe and proper use.
- This user manual is written based on current state of the device and the detail of this manual are subject to change without prior notice.
- The description on this manual is based on the default setting of the device.
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Instructional icons

Before you start, familiarize yourself with the below icons to help with the manual.



Warning – situations that could cause injury to yourself or others.



Caution – situations that could cause damage to your device or other equipment.



Note – useful tips or additional information.

Safety precaution.

- Do not use PDA while driving.
 - ✓ It can expose to serious accident.
 - ✓ Using PDA while driving may defend against law.
- Do not touch charging plug with wet hand.
 - ✓ It may cause electric shock.
- Be aware of handling battery.
 - ✓ Do not apply big impact or drill into it.
 - ✓ Avoid damping the battery or submerge into water.
 - ✓ Avoid metallic contact with the battery.
- Do not expose PDA, battery or charger to excessive heat.
 - ✓ It may cause PDA's corruption or explosion.
 - ✓ If PDA has been left in a car, as temperature increases it may cause explosion.
- Do not use PDA in event of thunder and lightning.
 - ✓ Using PDA in lightning condition can cause electric shock.
- Avoid use of PDA in restricted area.
 - ✓ It can cause radio interference.
 - ✓ Avoid use of PDA within aircraft. It can interfere with the navigational system of the vessel.
 - ✓ Avoid use of PDA within hospital. It can interfere with the medical equipment.
- Turn off PDA where explosion risk area.
 - ✓ Please obey rules of explosion risk area.
 - ✓ It is safe to turn off PDA in patrol station.
- Be aware of using head set.
 - ✓ Continuous use of head set with high volume can damage hearing ability.
 - ✓ Using headset while walking or driving, it can decrease attentiveness and cause accident.

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- Ear-Mic has been removed from package contents.

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 - : Brief application description

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1. Getting Started

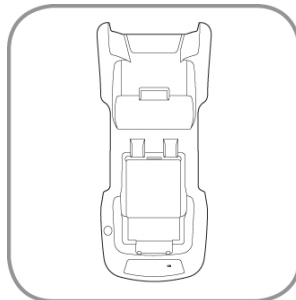
1.1 Product package

1.1.1 Device and Peripherals

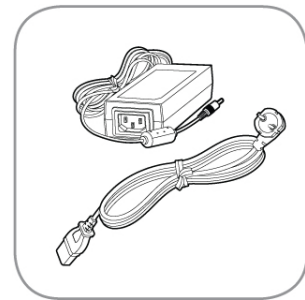
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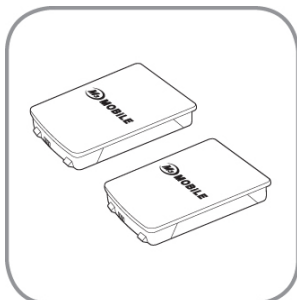
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<Cradle>



<Adapter (charger)>



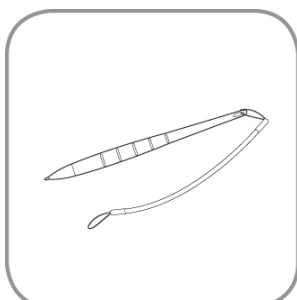
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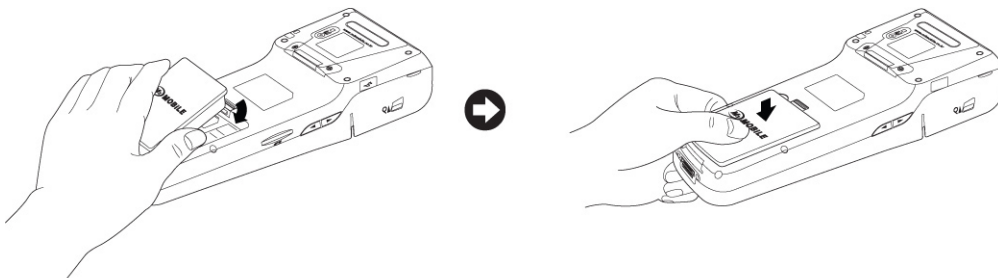
If there is any missing part or damaged item, please contact your supplier immediately. (There will only be one PDA with in Package)

1.2 Battery

1.2.1 How to Use

Inserting battery

- Release hand strap, and position the battery to the bottom of battery pack.
- Push down the battery, and it clicks when the battery is in right position.
- Put the hand strap back in its original position.



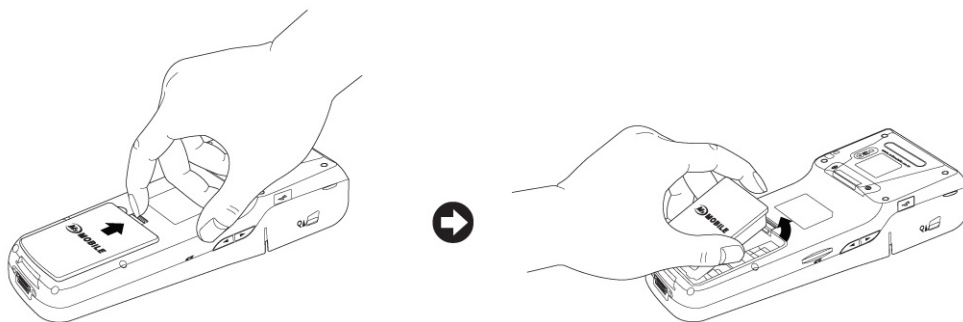
M3 POS uses Li-ion 7.4V, 2,250mAh battery.



Using unauthorized battery may cause explosion or serious damage of the device.

Removing battery

- Release the hand strap and slide up the battery lock to unlock the battery pack.
- Then remove the battery from the battery position using small hole located at the upper left side of the battery pack.





Battery contact pin may bend or damaged not pull out properly. Program error may be occurred when removing battery while any program is running. Please make sure the running program is closed before

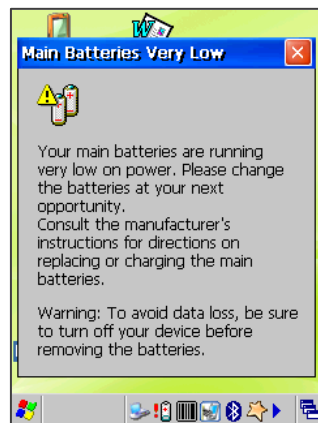
The back-up battery would work when the battery has removed so the device goes to sleep mode.



M3 POS can be used for maximum 11 hours with fully charged battery. It can be different depending on users' working environment.

1.2.2 How to charge

If the exclamation mark shows up next to the battery icon, please charge the battery otherwise the device will be turned off.



Charging the battery

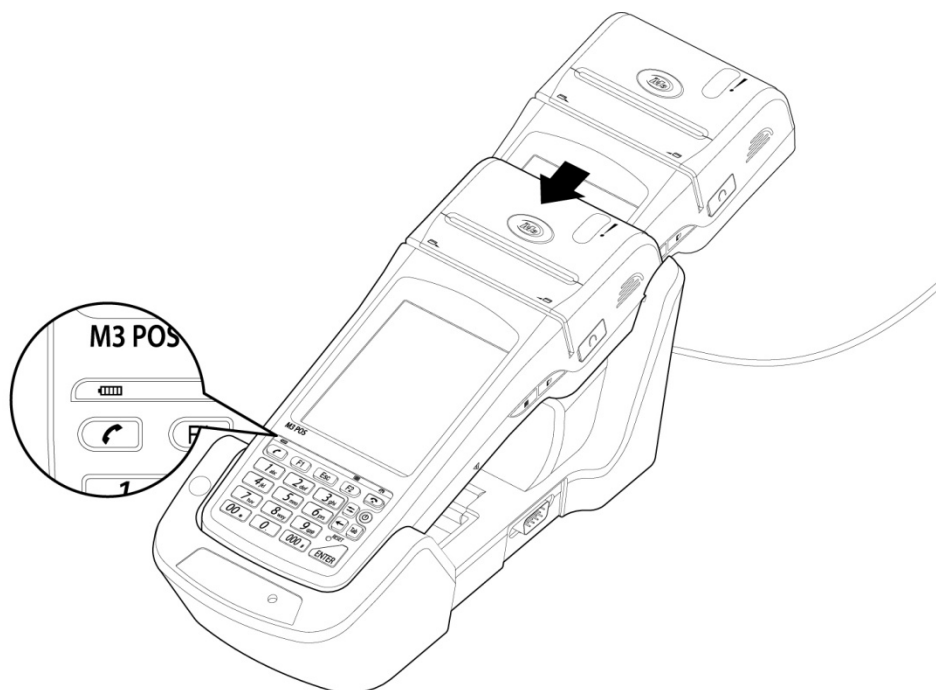
- Plug in AC adaptor plug to wall jack and DC jack to power connector of cradle.
- Insert PDA to device slot to start charging the PDA. Make sure that the device is connected to the cradle correctly.



Please use authentic adaptor that M3 Mobile provides only. If needed to use 110V, please purchase additional adaptor for use



Please use authentic cradle that M3 Mobile provides only, there might be a malfunction and/or failure of device.



If PDA is in right position, charging LED will indicate red and it will start charging the battery. It will change to green when the battery is fully charged.

If the charging LED is not turned on, please re-insert the device to the cradle.

LED Color	Description
Red	The battery is charging.
Green	The battery is fully charged.



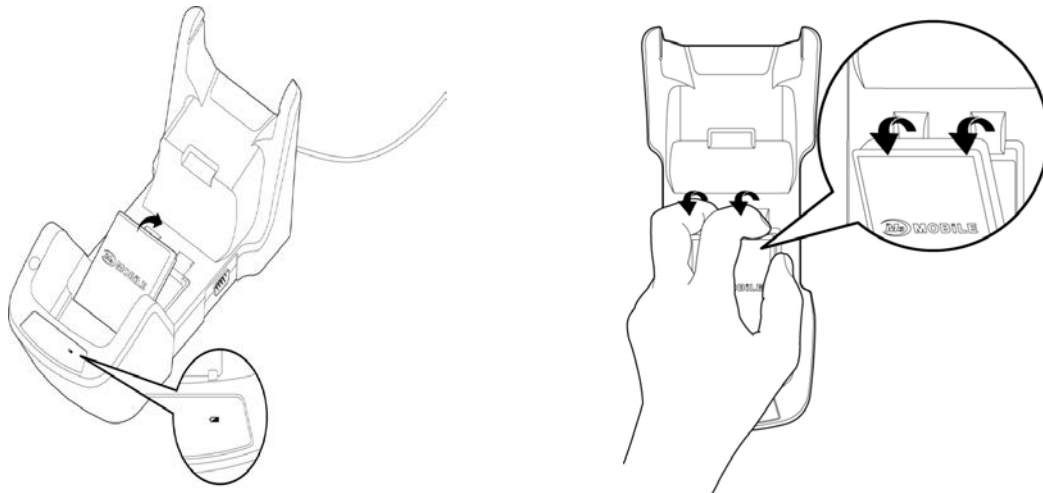
*Do not exposure the battery to excessive temperature.
Acceptable user temperature range is -20°C (-4°F)~60°C (140°F)*

It will take approximately 4 hours to fully charge from deplete state using the supplied charging cradle.

Charging spare battery

Position the spare battery to battery pack of the cradle as indicated in the following figure.

Charging LED on the cradle indicates the charging status.



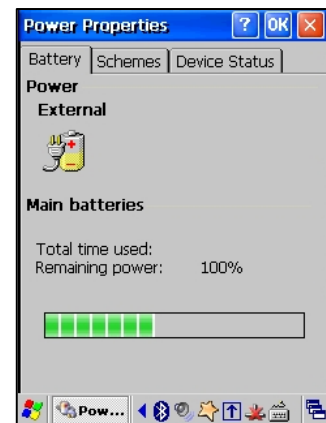
Remove the spare battery from the charging slot when charging is done.

Battery attached to the PDA will be charged first than the spare battery on the cradle, when two batteries are being charged at the same time.



- *M3 Mobile recommends replacing the battery if the battery is being used for 2 years.*
- *Battery capacity decrease when charging and discharging is repeated.*

Battery information can be checked in **Start→Settings→Control Panel→Power.**



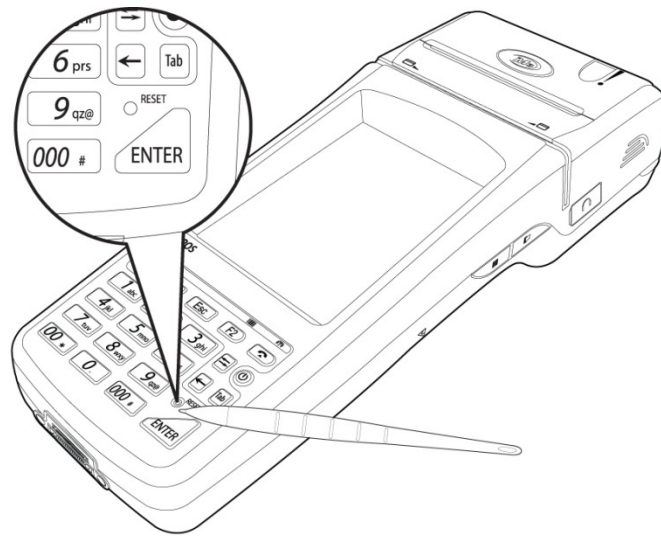
1.3 Power on & off

1.3.1 Power on

To turn on the device, attach fully charged main battery and press the reset button briefly.



Empty or low level of the back-up battery may cause starting problem. If this happens press and hold the reset button for 5 seconds.



1.3.2 Power off

Press and hold the reset button for more than 5 seconds to turn off the device.

1.3.3 Sleep mode

Device will automatically enter '**Sleep mode**' to save battery if there is no constant usage.

By default, backlight is turned off after 15 seconds of null state and will enter sleep mode if the device is not used for 1 minute on battery power.

The time for backlight and sleep mode can be set from **Start→Settings→Control Panel→Backlight**.

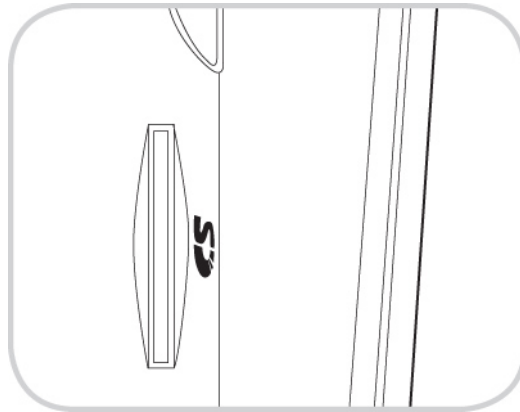


In sleep mode, all modules except phone module are powered off which causes Wi-Fi to disconnect from the current AP. However, on resume, Wi-Fi is automatically re-connected to the AP normally within 10 seconds.

1.4 Memory card

1.4.1 Inserting memory card

M3 POS uses **SD** external memory card. The external memory slot is located at the top side of the device as indicated in the following image:



To insert SD, slide in the external memory card in the right direction until you feel a click.



- *M3 POS with Windows CE 5.0 operating system supports up to 32GB of external memory.*
- *Only use 2GB or less for OS update.*

1.4.2 Data check

Stored data can be checked in **My Device→Flash Disk**.

For OS update using SD, please refer to section 4.2.1 OS update via SD card.

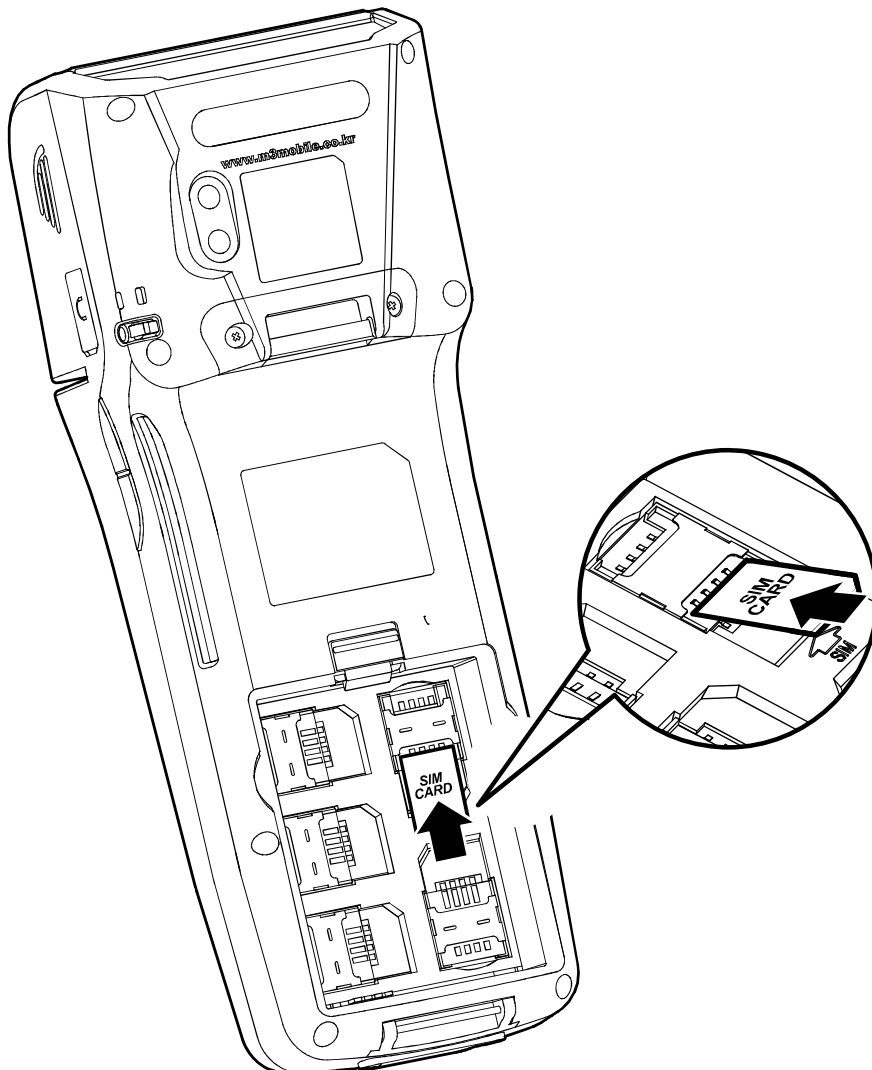
1.5 SIM card

1.5.1 Inserting SIM card

If the device is optioned with 3G network, SIM card slot is located under the battery socket.

The SIM must be authorized by the local network provider for voice or data communication over the wireless network.

To insert the SIM card, remove the battery and slide in the SIM card to the proper position.

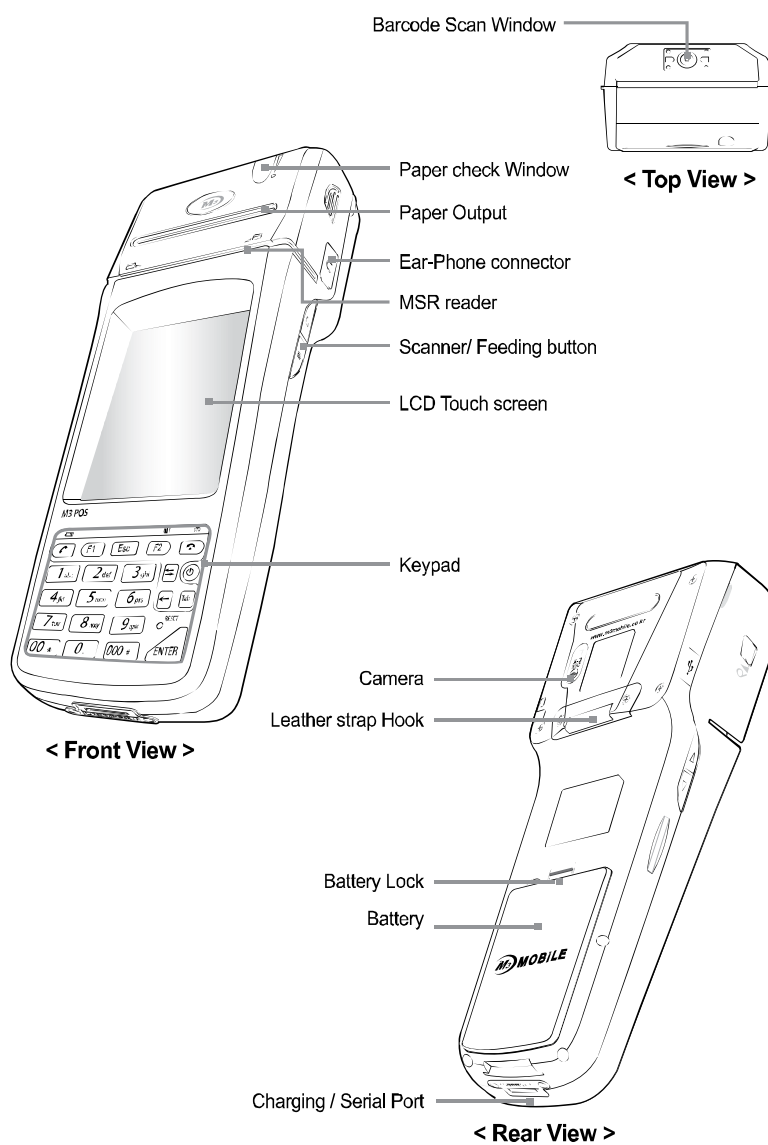


Please refer to section 3.5 Phone for more information on how to use the phone.

2. Basic usage

2.1 Features

Device layout

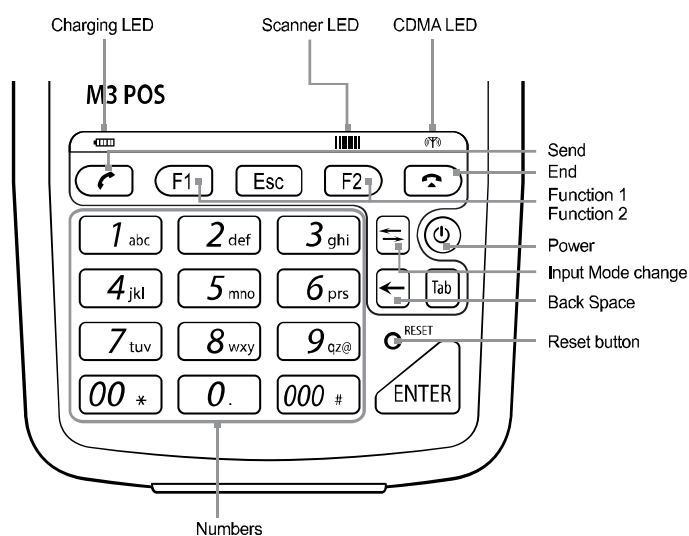


2.2 Keypad

2.2.1 Buttons

M3 POS uses **Alpha-Numeric** keypad.

Alpha-Numeric keypad layout



Button	Description
Power	Enters Sleep/Wake up Mode
Numbers	Inputs numbers and characters
Esc	Proceeds an Escape
Reset	Short press : Power on Long press : Power off Long press and short press : Hard reset
Back Space	Deletes previous input data
Send / End	Used to make / end a call.
Function	Use specific command or menu.
Enter	Performs chosen contents and/or function
Input mode change	Changes the input mode of the keypad. [1] (number) → [a] (lowercase letter) → [A] (uppercase letter)

2.3 Screen

When you turn on the device, you will see a screen as the following image. The screen is divided into 4 sections.











→ Desktop

→ Task bar

2.3.1 Status bar









Status bar indicates the status of the device and 'Start' menu.

Icon	Name	Description
	Start	Shows list of programs, Favorites, Documents, Settings, Help and Run.
	Bluetooth	Indicates Bluetooth status of connection/disconnection.
	Fast Connection	Directly connects to Turning on/off of WLAN, Alarm, Backlight and Task manager.
	Volume	Adjusts volume while using M3 T.
	Network	Indicates connection/disconnection of network status. Information of network connection will be seen when double click.
	Input Data type	Shows data type which is currently uses to input. It is changed depending on the number of times pressing the mode change button.

	Input Mode	Shows input mode. Users can choose input mode between Transcriber and Keyboard with long press.
	Activated program Window	Shows list of programs that are currently running.

2.3.2 Today screen

There are program icons which can be added and/or deleted in home screen.

Icon	Name	Description
	My Device	Categorize and list folders and files.
	Recycle Bin	Remove and/or restore files or data. ☞ Files or data cannot be restored once they have removed from recycle bin.
	Internet Explorer	Browse Web sites or use Intranet
	Media Player	Play digital audio and/or video files. ☞ Supports ASF, WMA, MP3, WAV files.
	Microsoft WordPad	Create WordPad file
	My Documents	Store and show programs, files and data.
	Remote Desktop Connection	Process remote connection to desktop.
	Transcriber	Process transcriber.

If you run ScanEmul() or RfidEmul () , corresponding icon will appear on the task bar.

2.4 Data input

2.4.1 Stylus pen

Selecting Contents

Click on the target icon with stylus pen.

Performing

Double-click on the icon to perform, with Stylus pen.

Selecting Menu

Long press on touch screen allows user to selection on particular functions - cut, copy, delete, etc.

Selecting several contents

Drag several icons to choose and/or set block.

2.4.2 Keyboard

Physical keys

Press the keypads on the device.

Soft input panel (SIP)

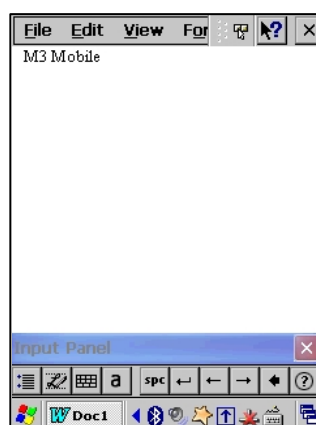
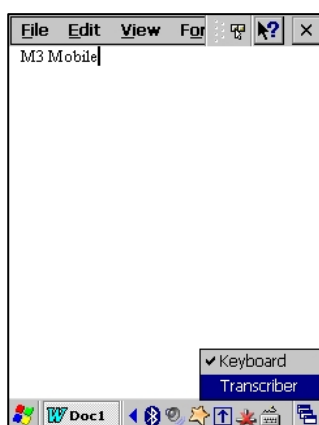
Click on keyboard icon at the menu bar (📄).



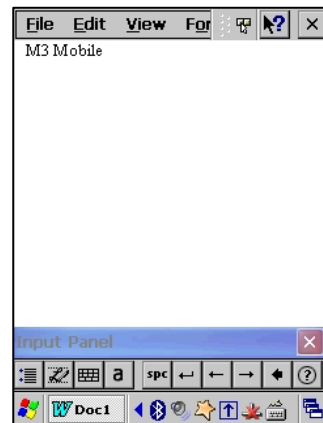
Transcriber

Hand writing recognition.

To enable transcriber, click on the up arrow when SIP is shown. When an SIP menu pops up select Transcriber. '**Transcriber Intro**' window will be show up and click '**Don't show this**', if this information is no longer needed.



Input data with stylus pen, checked data will be recognized within 2 seconds.



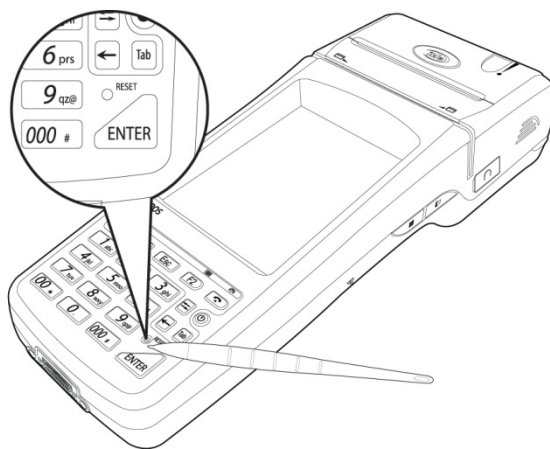
To turn off transcriber, simply select back to Keyboard from SIP menu.

2.5 Reset

2.5.1 Soft reset

When an unexpected error occurs while using the device, SOFT RESET allows your device to restart, similar to rebooting a computer. It will adjust memory allocation - all records and entries are retained after soft reset but unsaved data or files will be lost.

- Press the RESET BUTTON briefly.



2.5.2 Clean boot

When an unexpected error cannot be solved with **SOFT RESET**, perform **Hard Reset** to restart the system. It will erase all data stored in the device except data stored in Flash Disk and return to its default setting.

Follow below steps to CLEAN BOOT.

- Press the '**RESET BUTTON**' more than 5 seconds
- Once the display is completely lost
- While holding the power button press '**RESET BUTTON**' briefly.

2.6 Sync with PC

Sync is simplified form of Synchronization, which enables files transfer or back-up data between PC and the device.

To synchronize the device with PC, one of the following sync programs must be installed on the PC. Please download appropriate program depending on the operating system of the PC

Sync program download

Windows Mobile Device Center (Windows Vista or later): [Download](#)

ActiveSync (Windows XP): [Download](#)

2.6.1 How to sync

To sync, please follow the steps described below.

1. Download and install WMDC (or ActiveSync) on PC.
2. Connect the cradle to PC using supplied USB cable.
3. Supply AC power to the cradle.
4. Turn on the device and place it on the cradle.

After step 4, your PC will automatically detect M3 POS and install Pocket_PC driver. Once the driver installation is done successfully, you should be able to transfer files or back up files on the device.



When you see a window similar to this, it means your device is connected to the PC correctly.



If Cradle and PC is connected with USB cable before install ActiveSync, PC may not recognize Equipment.

For features of WMDC or ActiveSync, please visit Microsoft homepage for more details.

If ActiveSync does not work please check followings.

- *Check USB cable is connected to cradle and PC properly.*
- *Check PDA and its LCD are turned on*



- *Check if [Allow USB connection with this desktop computer] is checked from ActiveSync program menu→File→Connecting Option*



After checking all those above, try ActiveSync again or try Soft/Hard reset and ActiveSync.

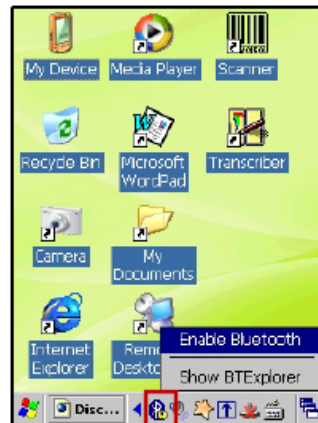
3. Application usage

3.1 Bluetooth

3.1.1 Bluetooth configuration

Turning on

Click on Bluetooth icon on task bar () and choose '**Enable Bluetooth**' to turn on the Bluetooth module. Once the Bluetooth is on, the task bar icon will change to  to indicate it is enabled.




To turn it off, simply disable the Bluetooth after click on  icon from task bar.

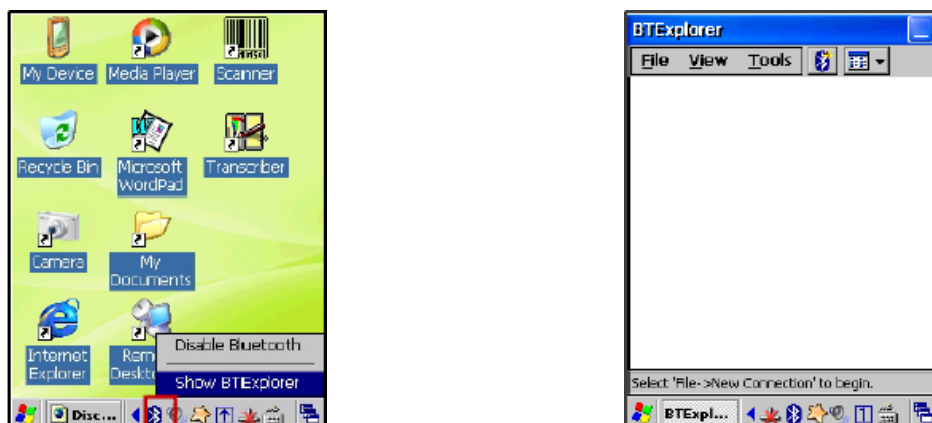


M3 T can use StoneStreetOne Bluetooth stack as default.

3.1.2 Getting connected

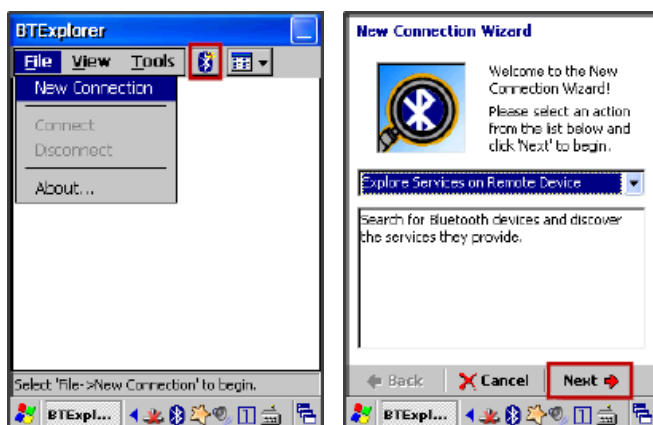
Set Bluetooth Connection

Bluetooth connections can be configured using BTE Explorer. To launch BTE Explorer, click on Bluetooth icon on task bar () and choose '**Show BTE Explorer**'.

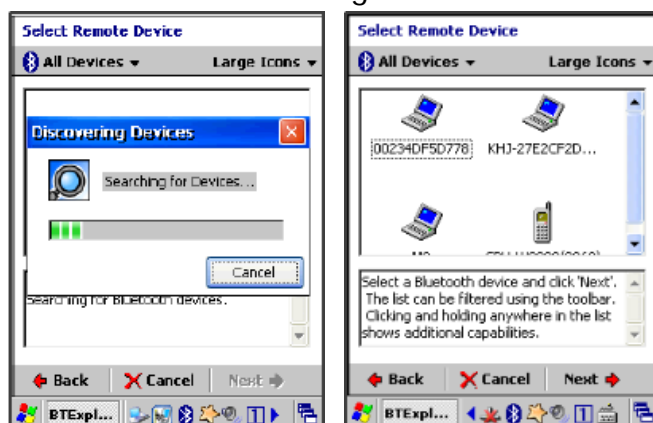


To make a new Bluetooth connection, follow steps below.

1. Click **Menu** → **New Connection** to search for connectable devices.



2. Choose the service willing to be connected and click '**Next**' to go to next step.



3. Choose on device willing to be connected, and click '**Next**' to proceed.
4. When '**PIN Code Request**' pops up, enter pin code which is identical with paired device, and follow the dialog to finish Bluetooth pairing.

3.2 Camera

3.2.1 Camera basics

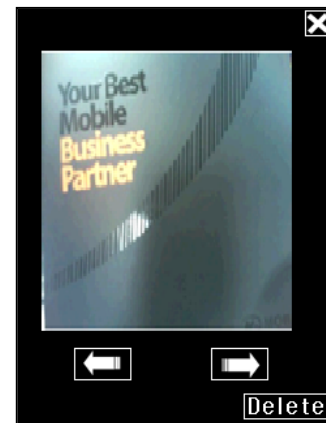
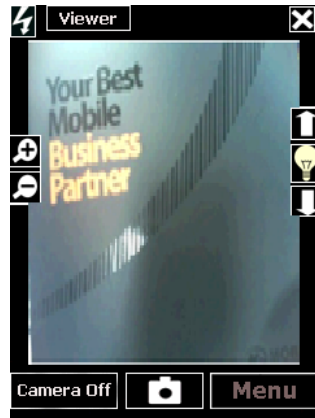
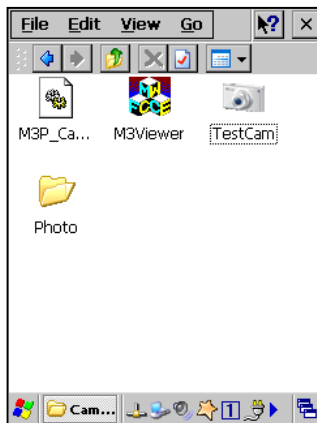
M3 Mobile provides its own camera application for 2.0 MP AF camera with enhanced features.



Camera is an optional module.

How to launch

M3 camera application is located at \Flash Disk\Camera folder. To launch, click on Camera.exe in the folder.



While the camera application is running, click on Capture button or press 'C' button (right-up side key) to capture the image. You should be able to check the result straight after the capture. Captured image is saved in the same folder (default path) as the camera application.

For detailed description of camera application, please refer to Application Manual. Application Manual [Download](#)

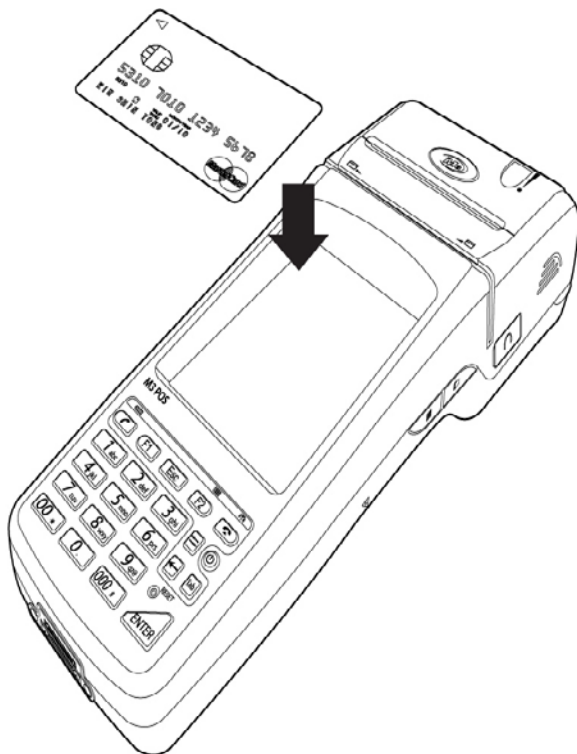
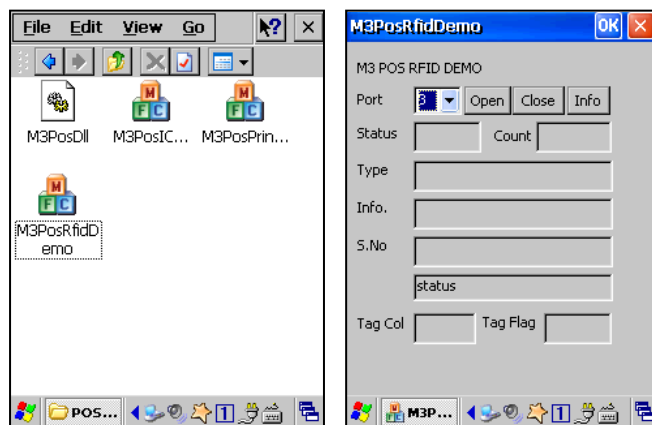
3.3 RFID

M3 POS provides high (HF) RFID reader as an optional module. Please contact your local distributor for RFID options.

3.3.1 RFID Basics

M3 Mobile provides RFID program:

- M3PosRfidDemo Used as scanner demonstration or quick tests.



M3 RFID application is located at \Flash Disk\POS_DEMO folder. To launch, click on appropriate executable file in the folder.


3.4 Scanner

M3 POS provides 1D or 2D scanner as an optional module. Please contact your local distributor for scanner options.

3.4.1 Scanner basics

M3 Mobile provides two types of scanner program:

1. ScanEmul Keyboard wedge application which sends barcode data.
2. ScanTest Used as scanner demonstration or quick tests.

When ScanEmul is running scanner icon () will appear on task bar.



1. *While ScanEmul is running, ScanTest cannot be used and vice versa.*
2. *Imager and Camera cannot run at the same time.*

For detailed description of scanner application, please refer to Application Manual.
Application Manual [Download](#)

3.4.2 Scanner use

Press scanner button toward to barcode you want to read.



Make sure the laser beam covers whole barcode to read data properly.



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<1D Scanner>



O



X

<2D Imager>



1. Do not stare into beam.
2. Use of control of adjustment or performance of procedures other than those specified herein may result in hazardous radiation exposure.
3. Compliance with 21 CFR 1040.10 and 1040.11

3.5 Wireless LAN

3.5.1 WLAN configuration

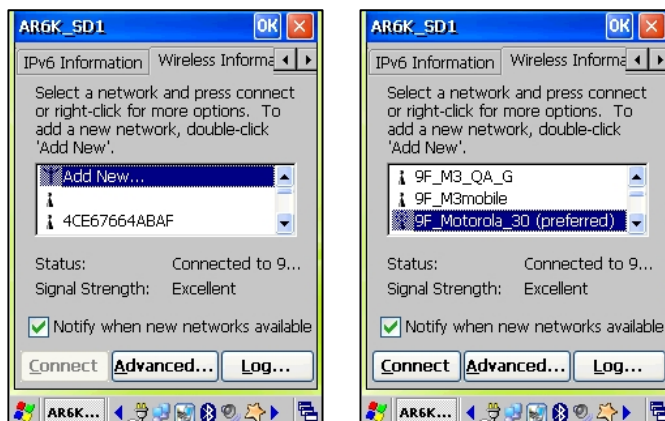
How to connect

Click shortcut (📌) on taskbar, and choose '**WLAN ON**', Network icon will be produce (📶) and '**AR6K_SD1**' window will pop-up.



To connect to an AP, follow steps below.

- i. Click '**Wireless Information**' tab and choose the network to be connected.



- ii. Click on [**Connect**] button will change Status and Signal strength shown on the window, and will connect to wireless LAN. (Note: Secured AP may request PIN number or password to qualify user.)
- iii. Once a profile is created, click '**Commit**' to save the profile and move to the main tab to change the active profile.



Entering sleep mode while the WLAN is connected will cause connection drop. However, upon wake up, it will automatically re-connect to the AP within 10 seconds.

4. Advanced usage

4.1 Software development kit (SDK)

M3 Mobile provides SDK to software developers to help them with their development.

Supported development tools

- Visual Studio 2005 (8.0) (.NET Framework 2.0) or higher
Visual C++, Visual C#, Visual Basic .NET

Development System Requirements

- Pentium compatible 500MHz processor or better
- Microsoft Windows 98 / ME / 2000 / 2003 / XP
- ActiveSync

Development Platform Requirements

- Windows Mobile Platform SDK must be installed on your computer to be able to develop software using this SDK.

4.1.1 SDK Package

M3 Mobile provides SDK as a package for each product. For M3 POS, software developer should download M3 POS SDK package.

In the package the following are included:

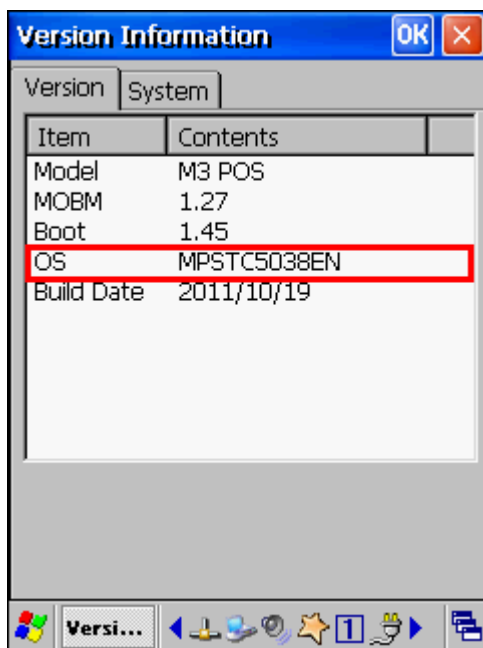
- i. SDK for each module
: Bluetooth, Camera, GPS, Camera, Scanner
- ii. Sample test program for each module.
- iii. SDK Manual
: Introduction, Tutorial, Sample sources, References

4.1.2 OS Update

To improve the performance and quality of the product, M3 Mobile can release later version of OS than the one that are currently installed on your device.

To check OS version of your device, please go to

Start → Settings → Control Panel → Version and check OS Version.



The latest officially version of OS can be checked on M3 Mobile support webpage.

M3 POS provides 2 ways of updating the OS:

- i. Using SD (2GB or less)
- ii. Using cradle with USB connection

For detailed description of OS update method, please refer to M3 FAQ document 'OS' section. FAQ [Download](#)

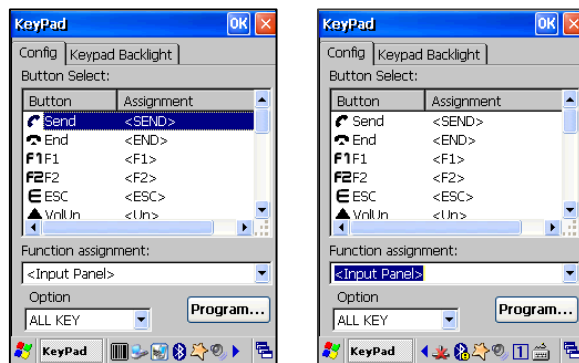
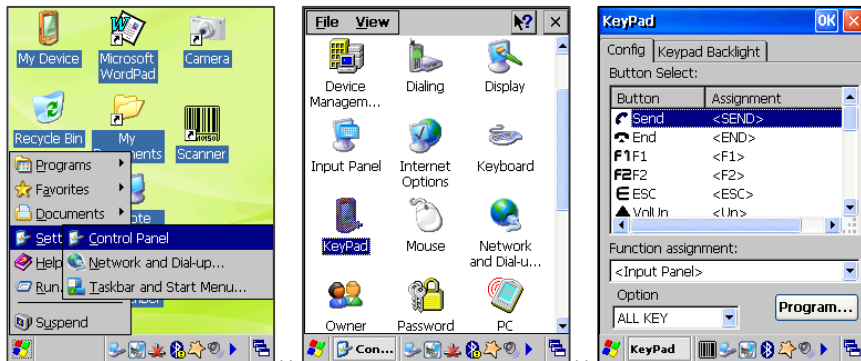
4.1.3 Key customization

M3 POS provides freedom to user with key customization.

Key customization can be done in 3 ways:

i. GUI method

[Start] → [Settings] → [Control Panel] → [KeyPad]



ii. M3.ini, Visual INI

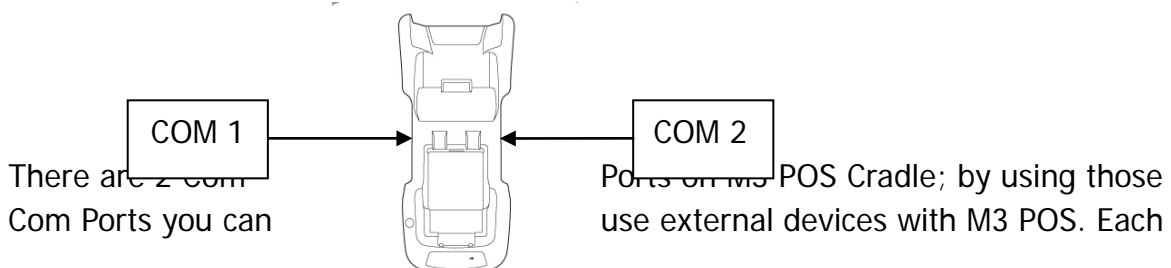
iii. Changing registry

In fact, with alpha-numeric version, all physical buttons except the power button are customizable with registry change method.

Please refer to M3 FAQ document 'Keypad' section for more details.

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4.2 M3 POS Cradle



M3 POS Cradle

Com Port has different pin out value, please read table below carefully to make sure you have used right Com Port for your external device.

COM1		COM2	
DSUB9 PIN MALE	NAME	DSUB9 PIN MALE	NAME
1	N.C	1	N.C
2	RXD	2	RXD
3	TXD	3	TXD
4	N.C	4	N.C
5	GND	5	GND
6	N.C	6	N.C
7	N.C	7	RTS
8	N.C	8	CTS
9	N.C	9	5V

5. Etc

5.1 Specification

Physical Characteristics

Dimension (W x H x D)	85 x 224 x 56.3 mm
	3.3 x 8.2 x 2.2 inch
Weight	540g / 19 oz (including battery)
Display	3.5" QVGA TFT LCD, 240 x 320 pixels
Battery	Li-ion, 7.4 V, 2,250 mA

Performance Characteristics

Multi-processor	CPU Marvell Xscale PXA-320 806MHz
OS	Windows CE 5.0
Memory	RAM 128 MB
	ROM 256 MB, up to 1GB
	Card Slot SD, up to 32 GB
Interface	USB Host 1.1 / Client 1.1

User Environment

Temperature	Operating -20~50 °C / -4~122 °F
	Storing -20~50 °C / -4~122 °F
Humidity	95% non-condensing
Drop test	1.2m / 4ft.
IP rating	IP65

Wireless radio options

WWAN	CDMA 800 MHz
WLAN	IEEE 802.11 b/g
Security	WEP, WPA, WPA2, TKIP, AES, EAP-FAST, EAP-TLS, EAP-TTLS, PEAP-GTC, PEAP- TLS, PEAP- MSCHAPv2, LEAP, CCXv4
Bluetooth	Class II, v2.0
GPS	AGPS

General options

Scanner	1D / 2D
Camera	2.0 MP AF
Keypad	Alpha-Numeric (26 key)

Payment Options

MSR	Track 1,2,3	
IC CARD	ISO 7816, 4SAMS	
RFID	HF 13.56MHz,Multi ISO	
Printer	Size	2 inch Thermal Printer
	Max.Speed	100 mm/sec
	Max.Roll Dia	30mm
	Max.Paper Length	9.5m

Certification



5.2 Services

If you experience any trouble while using our product, you can visit **M3 Service center** or send enquires to our **online support web page** (<http://support.m3mobile.co.kr>), we will do our best to solve your trouble as soon as we can.

M3 FAQ document can help you with troubleshooting.

For any enquires about business program, please contact program provider for faster service.

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